

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L LUANDA 029

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: ECON, CG, PO, AO

SUBJ: PORTUGUESE AND ZAIRIAN COPPER

REF: KINSHASA 0397

1. SOURCES IN MARITIME SHIPPING HERE SAY COPPER LOADINGS AT LOBITO ARE "NORMAL" WITH ONLY USUAL DELAYS DUE PORT CROWDING.

2. PORTUGUESE ATTITUDE ON ZAIRE, ZAMBIA USE BENGUELA RR/ LOBITO PORT CONTINUES TO BE THAT ANY CUTOFF BY PORTUGUESE WOULD BE LAST RESORT STEP TO BE TAKEN ONLY IN RESPONSE SERIOUS HOSTILE ACTS SUCH AS INVASION OR SYSTEMATIC MASSACRE PORTUGUESE RESIDENTS IN ZAIRE.  
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## Message Attributes

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